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- 1. Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111;
- 2. Submission of Formal Drawings
- 3. Formal Drawings, 3 Sheets
- 4. Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.50-0951
- 5. Postcard

This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed on July 8, 2002. In the Office Action, Applicants were required to submit formal drawings because the drawings as filed by Applicants were declared to be informal. Applicants submit herewith formal drawing figures 1 through 4 (3 sheets).

Prompt notification by telephone is required if these drawings are unacceptable for any reason. The Examining Attorney is encouraged to call Applicant's counsel if, for any reason, this submission does not fully meet the Examiner's objections.

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